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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR1.136(A))

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Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed on September 12, 2005.

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